

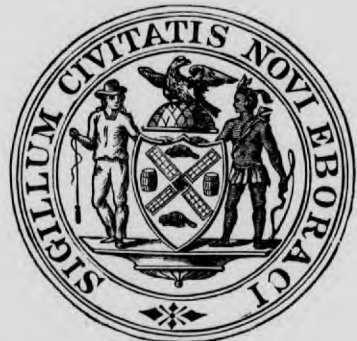
# THE CITY RECORD.

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## LAW DEPARTMENT.

The following schedules form a report of the transactions of the office of the Counsel to the Corporation for the week ending January 26, 1884.

*The Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York are defendants, unless otherwise mentioned.*

### SCHEDULE "A."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS INSTITUTED.

#### SUPREME COURT.

Isabella Jane Adams, as administratrix of Wm. Hy. Adams—To recover back amount of pay as fireman, deducted in February and March, 1880, \$39.41.  
Catharine J. Du Flon, as administratrix of John Du Flon—To recover back amount of salary as assistant foreman in 1880 and 1881, \$531.25.  
John J. Mulligan, Fireman—Deducted in August, 1880, \$16.45.  
Lawrence J. O'Brien, Fireman—Deducted in 1880 and 1881, \$16.45.  
Edward Van Horn, Fireman—Deducted in January, 1880, \$10.64.  
Mayor, etc., vs. Charles L. Noe—To recover penalty of \$10 per day for 1,275 days, for violation of Corporation ordinance in allowing water to flow over sidewalk at Nos. 19 and 21 Delancey street, in consequence of which the city was compelled to pay Maria Preich \$3,243.31, \$12,750.  
James F. Malcolm—For a surrender of plaintiff's bond given the city as against the lien of G. L. Harrington and Leonard W. Johnson, filed against the contract of John L. Brown, for regulating, etc., First avenue, Ninety-second to One Hundred and Ninth street.

#### SUPERIOR COURT.

John Townshend against Artemus S. Cady—To compel Clerk of Arrears to receive amount of assessment imposed on Ward Nos. 5 to 8 and 57 to 60, Block 1166, Twelfth Ward, for opening Eleventh avenue; confirmed September 7, 1884, and discharge same of record.  
Wellington Porter vs. The Mayor, etc., New York, Bernard Mahon, Edward Lynch, Dennis McGrath, John Petersen—To foreclose a lien on account of contract of Bernard Mahon for regulating, grading, flagging, etc., Willis avenue, for flag and curb-stones furnished, \$5,036.14.

#### COURT OF COMMON PLEAS.

Jacob Beemer—Damages for alleged personal injuries resulting from falling on ice on sidewalk in Spring street, between Clark and Varick streets, March 10, 1883, \$10,000.

BEFORE THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION APPOINTED UNDER CHAPTER 550 OF THE LAWS OF 1880.  
In re petition of Adolph Bernheimer—To record first installment of assessment paid for sewers in Sixth, Seventh, and St. Nicholas avenues, between One Hundred and Tenth and One Hundred and Sixteenth streets.  
In re petition of Charles de Rham—For an award, assessment for Boulevard regulating.

### SCHEDULE "B."

JUDGMENTS ENTERED AND ORDERS OF THE GENERAL AND SPECIAL TERMS.

In re Mary Sherwood, Twentieth street paving—Order to vacate assessment entered.  
People ex rel. Thos. Keech vs. Hubert O. Thompson—Order on remittitur entered.  
American Encaustic Tiling Co.—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.  
In re George Dudley, Manhattan outlet sewer—Order entered amending order reducing assessment.  
In re Bernard Blessing, Eighth avenue sewer—Order entered to reduce assessment.  
John G. Prague—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$4,197.08.  
Fanny P. Murray—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$117.49.  
People ex rel. Pacific Mail S. S. Co. v. The Tax Commissioners (Certiorari capital stock, year 1880)—Order entered dismissing writ of certiorari without costs.  
People ex rel. John T. Haneman v. Tax Commissioners (Personal estate, year 1879)—Order entered dismissing writ of certiorari without costs.  
The Exchange Fire Insurance Company—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.  
The Commercial Mutual Insurance Company—Order entered discontinuing action without costs.  
John Malley—Order entered discontinuing order without costs.  
In re George Dudley, sewers in Sixth, Seventh and One Hundred and Twenty-First street—Order entered amending order vacating assessment.  
People ex rel. Frederick R. Couder et al. v. Tax Commissioners, personal estate, 1882—General Term order affirming proceedings of Commissioners with costs entered.  
John Beattie—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,200.  
People ex rel. Hannah G. Gerry, eleven proceedings—Order of reference to William E. Doty, Esq., to take testimony entered.  
People ex rel. Louisa M. Gerry—Order of reference to William E. Doty, Esq., to take testimony entered.  
People ex rel. Elbridge T. Gerry—Order of reference to William E. Doty, Esq., to take testimony entered.  
In re John S. Sutphen et al., One Hundred and Sixteenth street regulating—Order to reduce assessment entered.  
Abraham V. W. Jackson, administrator—Judgment entered in favor of plaintiff for \$1,693.19.  
In re Alexander B. Crane, executor, etc., Eighth avenue regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street—Order discontinuing proceedings without costs entered.  
In re Henry Hughes, Eighth avenue regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street—Order discontinuing proceedings without costs entered.  
In re Mary H. Anthony et al., executrix, Eighth avenue regulating, etc., Fifty-ninth to One Hundred and Twenty-second street—Order discontinuing proceedings without costs entered.

### SCHEDULE "C."

SUITS AND SPECIAL PROCEEDINGS TRIED OR ARGUED.

Ann McGregor v. Board of Education—Motion for further bill of particulars made before J. F. Daly, J., granted.  
Ann McGregor v. Board of Education—Motion for further bill of particulars made before J. F. Daly, J., granted.  
Gustave Angerstein v. Bernard Kenney et al. and The Mayor, etc.—Motion for preference in Court of Appeals submitted.  
E. A. Macdonald—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
John B. Healy—Reference proceeded.  
Franklin H. Delano et al.—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
John Halsey Haight et al.—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
People ex rel. James Masterson v. The Board of Police—Argued at General Term; decision reserved.  
Kate Lambert—Tried before Donohue, J., and Jury; complaint dismissed.  
People ex rel. Sophia G. Vandervoort v. William R. Grace, Mayor—Motion to dismiss appeal argued at General Term; granted conditionally.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation.

## EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

### Appointments by the Mayor.

To be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule B of the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for admission to the Civil Service of the City of New York:

CHARLES S. FAIRCHILD,  
J. SEAVER PAGE, and  
A. R. MACDONOUGH.

To be a Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule C of the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for admission to the Civil Service of the City of New York, except positions as nurses, attendants, and orderlies in the city asylums and hospitals:

DAN. B. SMITH,  
ARTHUR H. DUNDON, and  
JAMES MOIR.

To be a Board of Examiners for positions as nurses, orderlies, and attendants in the city asylums and hospitals:

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D.,  
F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D., and  
T. H. MANLEY, M. D.

WM. E. LUCAS,  
Secretary.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule B, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor of the City of New York for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of said city, has this day been organized by the election of Augustus R. Macdonough as Chairman, and that blanks for applicants for positions included in said Schedule B can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

A. R. MACDONOUGH,  
CHAS. S. FAIRCHILD,  
J. SEAVER PAGE,  
Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 16, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions in Schedule C, except nurses, etc., as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor of the City of New York for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of said city, has been organized by the election of Arthur H. Dundon as Chairman, and that blanks for applicants for positions included in said Schedule C can be obtained on and after this date from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

ARTHUR H. DUNDON,  
DAN. B. SMITH,  
JAMES MOIR,  
Board of Examiners.

NEW YORK, January 8, 1884.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners for all positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies for the city hospitals and asylums in the Department of Public Charities and Correction, as specified in the regulations prescribed by the Mayor for the admission of persons into the Civil Service of the City of New York, has been organized by the election of Thomas H. Burchard, M. D., as Chairman and F. Tilden Brown M. D., as Recording Officer, and that blanks for applicants for positions as nurses, attendants and orderlies as aforesaid can be obtained on and after January 15, 1884, from the Secretary of the Municipal Service Examining Board, No. 6 City Hall.

THOMAS H. BURCHARD, M. D.,  
F. TILDEN BROWN, M. D.,  
THOMAS H. MANLEY, M. D.,  
Board of Examiners.

### Appointment by the Mayor.

January 18, 1884—Ehrman S. Nadal, Secretary of the Boards of Examiners, Municipal Service, City of New York.

WM. E. LUCAS,  
Secretary.

## OFFICIAL DIRECTORY.

STATEMENT OF THE HOURS DURING WHICH all the Public Offices in the City are open for business, and at which each Court regularly opens and adjourns, as well as of the places where such offices are kept and such Courts are held; together with the heads of Departments and Courts.

### EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Mayor's Office.

No. 6 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
FRANKLIN EDSON, Mayor; WILLIAM E. LUCAS, Secretary; AUGUSTUS WALSH, Chief Clerk.

#### Mayor's Marshal's Office.

No. 1 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. McDERMOTT, First Marshal.

#### Permit Bureau Office.

No. 13½ City Hall, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HENRY WOLTMAN, Registrar.

### COMMISSIONERS OF ACCOUNTS.

No. 1 County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEO. EDWIN HILL, ANDREW B. MARTIN.

### AQUEDUCT COMMISSIONERS.

Room 78, Tribune Building, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
THE MAYOR, President; JAMES W. McCULLOH, Secretary; BENJAMIN S. CHURCH, Chief Engineer.

### LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

#### Office of Clerk of Common Council.

No. 8 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM P. KIRK, President Board of Aldermen.  
FRANCIS J. TWOMEY, Clerk Common Council.

#### City Library.

No. 12 City Hall, 10 A. M. to 4 P. M.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

#### Commissioner's Office.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
HUBERT O. THOMPSON, Commissioner; FREDERICK H. HAMLIN, Deputy Commissioner.

#### Bureau of Chief Engineer.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ISAAC NEWTON, Chief Engineer.

#### Bureau of Water Register.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN H. CHAMBERS, Register.

#### Bureau of Street Improvements.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE A. JEREMIAH, Superintendent.

#### Engineer in Charge of Sewers.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHENSON TOWLE, Engineer-in-Charge.

#### Bureau of Repairs and Supplies.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
THOMAS H. McAVOY, Superintendent.

#### Bureau of Water Purveyor.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
DAVID L. SMITH, Water Purveyor.

#### Bureau of Lamps and Gas.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN McCORMICK, Superintendent.

#### Bureau of Streets.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES J. MOONEY, Superintendent.

#### Bureau of Incumbrances.

No. 31 Chambers street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOSEPH BLUMENTHAL, Superintendent.

#### Keeper of Buildings in City Hall Park.

MARTIN J. KESSE, City Hall.

### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

#### Comptroller's Office.

Nos. 19 and 20 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller; RICHARD A. STORRS, Deputy Comptroller.

#### Auditing Bureau.

No. 19 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WM. J. LYON, Auditor of Accounts.  
DAVID E. AUSTEN, Assistant Auditor.

Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears of Taxes and Assessments and of Water Rents.

No. 5 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ARTEMAS S. CADY, Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

Bureau for the Collection of City Revenues and of Markets.

No. 6 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
FRANCIS TOMES, Collector of the City Revenue and Superintendent of Markets.

#### Bureau for the Collection of Taxes.

First floor Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park.  
MARTIN T. McMAHON, Receiver of Taxes; ALFRED VREDENBURG, Deputy Receiver of Taxes.

#### Bureau of the City Chamberlain.

No. 18 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
J. NELSON TAPPAN, City Chamberlain.

#### Office of the City Paymaster.

Room 1, New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
MOOR FALLS, City Paymaster.

### LAW DEPARTMENT.

#### Office of the Counsel to the Corporation.

Staats Zeitung Building, third floor, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Saturdays, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE P. ANDREWS, Counsel to the Corporation;  
ANDREW T. CAMPBELL, Chief Clerk.

#### Office of the Public Administrator.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALGERNON S. SULLIVAN, Public Administrator.

#### Office of the Corporation Attorney.

No. 49 Beekman street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
WILLIAM A. BOYD, Corporation Attorney.

### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

#### Central Office.

No. 300 Mulberry street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
STEPHEN B. FRENCH, President; SETH C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk; JOHN J. O'BRIEN, Chief Bureau of Elections.

### DEPARTMENT OF CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

#### Central Office.

No. 66 Third avenue, corner Eleventh street, 8.30 A. M. to 5.30 P. M.  
H. H. PORTER, President; GEORGE F. BRITTON, Secretary.

### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC PARKS.

No. 36 Union Square, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
SALEM H. WALES, President; EDWARD P. BARKER, Secretary.

#### Civil and Topographical Office.

Arsenal, 64th street and 5th avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
Office of Superintendent of 23d and 24th Wards,  
146th street and 3d avenue, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

### DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
LUCIUS J. N. STARK, President; JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.  
Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. daily, except Saturdays; on Saturdays from 9 A. M. to 3 P. M.; from September 15 to June 15, from 9 A. M. to 12 M.



**DEPARTMENT OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS**  
Staats Zeitung Building, Tryon Row, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
Saturdays, 3 P. M.  
THOMAS B. ASTEN, President; FLOYD T. SMITH, Secretary.  
**Office Bureau Collection of Arrears of Personal Taxes.**  
Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
CHARLES S. BEARDSLEY, Attorney; WILLIAM COMBERFORD, Clerk.

**DEPARTMENT OF STREET CLEANING.**  
31 and 32 Park Row, "World" Building, Rooms 8 and 9, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JAMES S. COLEMAN, Commissioner; A. H. ROGERS, Deputy Commissioner; M. J. DORRISON, Chief Clerk.

**BOARD OF ASSESSORS.**  
Office, City Hall, Room No. 11½, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN R. LYDECKER, Chairman; WM. H. JASPER, Secretary.

**BOARD OF EXCISE.**  
Corner Bond street and Bowery, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
NICHOLAS HAUGHTON, President; BENJAMIN F. HASKIN, Secretary and Chief Clerk.

**SHERIFF'S OFFICE.**  
Nos. 3 and 4 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER V. DAVIDSON, Sheriff; JOEL O. STEVENS, Under Sheriff; DAVID MCGONIGAL, Order Airtest Clerk.

**FIRE DEPARTMENT.**  
Office hours for all except where otherwise noted from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Saturdays, to 3 P. M.  
**Headquarters.**  
Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
CORNELIUS VAN COTT, President; CARL JUSSEN, Secretary.

**Bureau of Chief of Department.**  
ELI BATES, Chief of Department.  
**Bureau of Inspector of Combustibles.**  
PETER SEERY, Inspector of Combustibles.  
**Bureau of Fire Marshal.**  
GEORGE H. SHELTON, Fire Marshal.  
**Bureau of Inspection of Buildings.**  
WM. P. ESTERBROOK, Inspector of Buildings.  
**Attorney to Department.**  
WM. L. FINDLEY, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
**Fire Alarm Telegraph.**  
J. ELLIOT SMITH, Superintendent of Telegraph, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street.  
Central Office Fire Alarm Telegraph open at all hours.  
**Repair Shops.**  
Nos. 128 and 130 West Third street.  
JOHN McCABE, Chief of Battalion-in-Charge, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.  
**Hospital Stables.**  
99th street, between 9th and 10th avenues.  
JOSEPH SHEA, Superintendent of Horses.  
Open at all hours.

**HEALTH DEPARTMENT.**  
No. 301 Mott street, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
ALEXANDER SHALER, President; EMMONS CLARK, Secretary.

**REGISTER'S OFFICE.**  
East side City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
JOHN REILLY, Register; J. FAIRFAX McLAUGHLIN, Deputy Register.

**COMMISSIONER OF JURORS.**  
No. 17 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
GEORGE CAULFIELD, Commissioner; JAMES E. CONNER, Deputy Commissioner.

**COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE.**  
Nos. 7 and 8 New County Court-house, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PATRICK KEENAN, County Clerk; H. S. BEATTIE, Deputy County Clerk.

**DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S OFFICE.**  
Second floor, Brown-stone Building, City Hall Park, 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.  
PETER B. OLNEY, District Attorney; HUGH DONNELLY, Chief Clerk.

**THE CITY RECORD OFFICE.**  
And Bureau of Printing, Stationery, and Blank Books.  
No. 2 City Hall, 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., except Saturdays, on which days 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.  
THOMAS COSTIGAN, Supervisor; R. P. H. ABELL, Book-keeper.

**CORONERS' OFFICE.**  
Nos. 13 and 15 Chatham street, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. Sundays and Holidays, 8 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.  
PHILIP MERKLE, FERNAND LEVY, BERNARD F. MARTIN and WILLIAM H. KENNEDY, Coroners; JOHN T. TOAL, Clerk of the Board of Coroners.

**SUPREME COURT.**  
Second floor, New County Court-house, 10½ A. M. to 3 P. M.  
General Term, Room No. 9.  
Special Term, Room No. 10.  
Chambers, Room No. 11.  
Circuit, Part I, Room No. 12.  
Circuit, Part II, Room No. 13.  
Circuit, Part III, Room No. 14.  
Judges' Private Chambers, Room No. 15.  
NOAH DAVIS, Chief Justice; PATRICK KEENAN, Clerk.

## DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
117 and 119 DUANE STREET.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

(No. 202.)

**PROPOSALS FOR ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB-WORK BULKHEAD AT THE FOOT OF SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER.**

**ESTIMATES FOR PREPARING FOR AND BUILDING A CRIB-WORK BULKHEAD AT FOOT OF SEVENTY-THIRD STREET, EAST RIVER, INCLUDING THE PROPER GRADING OF ITS APPROACH, WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS AT THE HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS, AT THE OFFICE OF SAID DEPARTMENT, NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET, IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK, UNTIL 12 O'CLOCK M. OF**

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1884,**

at which time and place the estimates will be publicly opened by the head of said Department. The award of

the contract, if awarded, will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work, shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The bidder to whom the award is made shall give security for the faithful performance of the contract, in the manner prescribed and required by ordinance, in the sum of six hundred dollars.

The Engineer's estimate of the nature, quantities and extent of the work, is as follows:

	Feet R.M., measured in the work.
1. Yellow Pine Timber, 12"x12".....	6,672
" " " " 10"x12".....	11,400
" " " " 6"x12".....	432
" " " " 5"x10".....	700
Total.....	19,204

**NOTE.**—The above quantities are exclusive of extra lengths required for scarfs, laps, etc., and of waste.

2. Piles—Yellow Pine, about..... 62  
(It is expected that these piles will have to be not more than 22 feet long to meet the requirements of the specification for driving. Piles 22 feet or less in length will be furnished by the Department according to the terms of the specification.)

3. Oak Fender Piles.....	6
4. White or Yellow Pine Mooring Posts.....	2
5. Half-round Oak Fenders.....	25
6. Crib Logs, 15 to 35 feet long.....	142
7. Wrought Iron Dock Sikes—¾"x 29", ¾"x22", ¾"x20", ¾"x18", ¾"x16", ¾"x14", ¾"x12", and ¾"x10" square, and ¾"x12" and ¾"x5" round, about.....	5,500 pounds.

8. 1½", 1¼" and 1" Wrought Iron Screw-bolts and Wrought Iron Washers, about..... 466 "

9. Wrought Iron Armature Plates and Corner Bands, about..... 660 "

10. Cast-iron Washers, about..... 70 "

11. Rubble Wall, containing about..... 47 cubic yards.

12. Crib Stone, about..... 220 "

13. Rip-rap Stone..... 280 "

14. Gravel..... 120 "

15. Materials for painting and oiling or tarring.....

16. Labor of every description, including the labor of removing the existing dumping-board according to the terms of the specifications, the labor of excavating, filling and grading for an approach, according to the terms of the specifications, and the labor of laying up about 47 cubic yards of rubble retaining wall.

N. B.—As all the above-mentioned quantities, though stated with as much accuracy as is possible, in advance, are approximate only, bidders are required to submit their estimates upon the following express conditions, which shall apply to and become part of every estimate received:

1. Bidders must satisfy themselves, by personal examination of the location of the proposed work, and by such other means as they may prefer, as to the accuracy of the foregoing Engineer's estimate, and shall not, at any time after the submission of an estimate, dispute or complain of the above statement of quantities, nor assert that there was any misunderstanding in regard to the nature or amount of the work to be done.

2. Bidders will be required to complete the entire work to the satisfaction of the Department of Docks, and in substantial accordance with the specifications of the contract. No extra compensation beyond the amount payable for the work before mentioned, which shall be actually performed at the price therefor, to be specified by the lowest bidder, shall be due or payable for the entire work.

The work to be done under the contract is to be commenced within five days after the date of the contract, and the entire work is to be fully completed on or before the first day of May, 1884, and the damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time fixed for the fulfillment thereof have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed, and liquidated at Fifty Dollars per day.

All the old material taken from the said existing structure, to be removed under this contract, will be relinquished to the contractor, and bidders must estimate the value of such material when considering the price for which they will do the work under the contract.

Bidders will state in their estimates a price for the whole of the work to be done, in conformity with the approved form of agreement and the specifications therein set forth, by which price the bids will be tested. This price is to cover all expenses of every kind involved in or incidental to the fulfillment of the contract, including any claim that may arise through delay, from any cause, in the performing of the work thereunder.

Bidders will distinctly write out, both in words and in figures, the amount of their estimates for doing this work.

The person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to attend at this office with the sureties offered by him or them, and execute the contract within five days from the date of the service of a notice to that effect; and in case of failure or neglect so to do, he or they will be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet, and so on until it is accepted and executed.

Bidders are required to state in their estimates their names and places of residence; the names of all persons interested with them therein; and if no other person be so interested, the estimate shall distinctly state the fact; also that the estimate is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same work, and that it is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and also that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof, or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof; which estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed to by all the parties interested.

Each estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person or persons making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his or their sureties for its faithful performance; and that if said person or persons shall omit or refuse to execute the contract, they will pay to the Corporation of the City of New York any difference between the sum to which said person or persons would be entitled on its completion, and that which said Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount, in each case, to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work to be done by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of the contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety and otherwise; and that he has offered himself as surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered will be subject to approval by the Comptroller of the City of New York, after the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of security required for the faithful

performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned by the Comptroller to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him by the Comptroller.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instructions of the Engineer-in-Chief.

No estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation, upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The right to decline all the estimates is reserved, if deemed for the interest of the Corporation of the City of New York.

Bidders are requested, in making their bids or estimates, to use the blank prepared for that purpose by the Department, a copy of which, together with the form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, can be obtained upon application therefor at the office of the Department.

LUCIUS J. N. STARK,  
WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
Dated New York, January 28, 1884.

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS,  
NOS. 117 AND 119 DUANE STREET.

**FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE PUBLIC.**  
And especially of those using the Wharf Property of the City of New York, the following extracts from the rules and regulations established for the guidance of the Dock Masters appointed by the Board governing this Department, and to be observed by them in the performance of their duties, are hereby promulgated and published:

Resolved, For the proper supervision of the waterfront of the city, the care of the wharf property located thereon placed in the charge of this Department, the rendering of necessary facilities for the prompt berthing of vessels to and from, and the collection of the wharfage accruing therefrom, that the waterfront of the City of New York be and hereby is arranged and divided into nine districts, and that for each of the said districts there shall be appointed, designated, or assigned, from time to time, at the pleasure of the Board, a suitable and competent person to be known and entitled as "Dock Master," who shall perform such duties and render such services in relation to the supervision, regulation, and occupation of the wharf property and waterfront in their respective districts, as the laws of the United States and of the State of New York, the ordinances of the City of New York, and the by-laws of this Board, and its rules, or orders, shall or may require, prescribe, or direct.

The several districts so made and created, and the Dock Masters assigned thereto, are as follows, to wit:

District No. 1.—Embracing all that portion of the East river, extending from Castle Garden, on the Battery, to and including Pier 21, East river.

Charles H. Thompson, Dock Master; office, 33 Coenties Slip.

District No. 2.—All that portion of the North river extending from Castle Garden, to and including Pier old 42, North river.

George W. Wanmaker, Dock Master; office, foot of Duane street, N. R.

District No. 3.—From east side Pier 21, East river, to and including Pier 55, East river.

Edward Abel, Dock Master; office, 262 South street.

District No. 4.—From north side Pier, old 42, North river, to and including pier at foot of West Twenty-third street, North river.

John M. Smith, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 43, N. R.

District No. 5.—From north side Pier 55, East river, to north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river.

Bernard Kenney, Dock Master; office, foot of East Sixteenth street, E. R.

District No. 6.—From north side Pier at Twenty-third street, North river, to and including Pier at foot Fifty-ninth street, North river.

Edward Gilon, Dock Master; office, Pier, new 57, N. R.

District No. 7.—From north side of Thirty-fourth street, East river, to south side of Ninety-second street, East river.

Robert Hall, Dockmaster; office, 645 First avenue.

District No. 8.—From north side of Pier at Fifty-ninth street, North river, to Yankers and Spuyten Duyvil Creek, from North river to Kingsbridge.

Theodore S. Croft, Dockmaster; office, foot of West Seventy-ninth street, N. R.

District No. 9.—From south side Ninety-second street, East river, to and including Bronx river, and also Harlem river, from East river to Kingsbridge.

John Callan, Dockmaster; office, foot of East One Hundred and Fourth street, Harlem river.

Resolved, That until otherwise ordered by this Board the following rules and instructions are issued for the guidance and observance of the several Dock Masters of the Department:

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Each Dock Master shall promptly designate and assign in the order in which application is made, suitable and convenient berths, so far as practicable, within the limits of his district, for the use of such vessel and water craft as may require the same for the reception or discharge of passengers, merchandise, etc., therefrom or for the necessary repair or the safety of any vessel or water craft.

It shall be the duty of each Dock Master to require and enforce the due observance of and compliance with such of the national and State laws, city ordinances, and the rules, regulations and orders of the Department of Docks as apply to the use, care, and custody of the wharf property of and about the City of New York, promptly reporting to the Board all violations and evasions of such laws, ordinances, rules, regulations and orders.

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Each Dock Master is expressly prohibited, under penalty of immediate dismissal from his position, from receiving or demanding, directly or indirectly, any fee, gratuity, compensation, or article of value of any nature or kind, for the assignment of a berth to a vessel at any pier, slip, or wharf property whatsoever, or for the performance of or the omission to perform any of the duties required of or pertaining to the position of Dock Master of this Department.

Any person or persons having any cause of complaint against the Dock Master for any failure or omission in the performance of the duties as required by the above rules, are requested to promptly communicate the same to this Board, at their offices, Nos. 117 and 119 Duane street.

By order of the Board,  
LUCIUS J. N. STARK,  
WILLIAM LAMBEER,  
JOHN R. VOORHIS,  
Commissioners of the Department of Docks.  
JOHN T. CUMING, Secretary.  
New York, December 1, 1883.

## THE CITY RECORD.

COPIES OF THE CITY RECORD CAN BE obtained at No. 2 City Hall (northwest corner, basement). Price three cents each.

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 25, 1884.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING A**  
Water Tower, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

For information as to the description of apparatus to be furnished bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred dollars (\$100). Such check or money must not be enclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-book, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,  
HENRY D. PURROY,  
RICHARD CROKER,  
Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 25, 1884.

### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS**  
Department with

**SEVEN (7) FOUR WHEEL HOSE TENDERS**  
will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The tenders are to be similar to that now in use by Engine Co. No. 24 of this Department, and as per drawings and specifications.

Bidders will state the price per tender as well as the gross amount of the proposal.

For full information as to the amount and kind of work to be done, and time of delivery, bidders are referred to the specifications and drawings, which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.



No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance, in the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$175). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

HENRY D. PURROY,

RICHARD CROKER,

Fire Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS,  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 25, 1884.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS** Department with new boilers to the steam fire engines known as the Fourth, Fifth, and Ninth Battalion engines (being numbers 161, 192, and 516 respectively of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company), and for making repairs to said engines, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The boilers to be M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler, patented 1878, and as per specifications.

The engines to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and to replace, at the expense of the contractor, such parts, if any, as may fail, if such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship. Said engines shall have a full and complete trial of their working powers at New York, under the superintendence of a competent engineer.

For information as to the amount and kind of work to be done and time of delivery, bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it

shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of two thousand and four hundred dollars (\$2,400); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of one hundred and twenty dollars (\$120). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded, neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet, as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The form of the agreement with specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

HENRY D. PURROY,

RICHARD CROKER,

Commissioners.

HEADQUARTERS,  
FIRE DEPARTMENT, CITY OF NEW YORK,  
155 AND 157 MERCER STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 25, 1884.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**SEALED PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THIS** Department with six (6) Steam Fire Engines, will be received by the Board of Commissioners at the head of the Fire Department, at the office of said Department, Nos. 155 and 157 Mercer street, in the City of New York, until 10 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, February 13, 1884, at which time and place they will be publicly opened by the head of said Department and read.

The engines are each to conform to the following specifications:

The engines to be what are known as Fourth (4th) Size Single Pump and Cylinder Crane Neck Steam Fire Engines, and are each to weigh not more than six thousand (6,000) pounds and not less than five thousand five hundred (5,500) pounds when fully equipped with and carrying all the tools, implements, and appurtenances called for in these specifications, and with the boiler and coil filled with water to the second gauge cock.

The boilers to be vertical, 32 inches in diameter and 62 inches high, to be made of best steel boiler plate, having copper smoke flues and hanging tubes of lap-welded iron; each hanging tube having circulating strips.

To be of sufficient strength to bear twice the pressure ever required, and doing fire duty and to have ample steaming capacity to keep up a full head of steam while doing the heaviest work. To be covered with Russia iron, properly banded with brass bands, nickel plated.

To be in all respects as to form and construction exactly similar to that now on Engine No. 10 of this Department being M. R. Clapp's Circulating Tubular Boiler Patent of 1878.

The main pump to be vertical, double acting, made entirely of composition, with cylinder 5½ inches diameter, and having a stroke of six (6) inches; to have two (2) discharge gates and an automatic relief valve.

The steam cylinder to be of 9½ inches in diameter and having a stroke of six (6) inches; and to be fitted to a bed plate containing the steam passages.

The engine is to be delivered at the Repair Shops of the Fire Department, Nos. 130 and 132 West Third street, as follows:

Two in one hundred and twenty (120), two in one hundred and fifty (150), and the last two in one hundred and eighty (180) days after the execution of the contract, in complete working order, with a guarantee that the material and workmanship are of the best character, and that the contractor will replace, at his own expense, such parts, if any, as may fail, provided that such failure is properly attributable to defective material or inferior workmanship.

Each of such engines is to have a full and thorough trial of working powers, in the City of New York, under a competent engineer, before its acceptance.

Bidders will state the price per engine as well as the gross amount of the proposal.

For full information as to the amount and kind of work to be done and time of delivery, bidders are referred to the specifications which form part of these proposals.

The damages to be paid by the contractor for each day that the contract may be unfulfilled after the time specified for the completion thereof shall have expired, are, by a clause in the contract, fixed and liquidated at twenty-five (\$25) dollars per day.

No estimate will be received or considered after the hour named.

The award of the contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Any person making an estimate for the work shall present the same in a sealed envelope, to said Board, at said office, on or before the day and hour above named, which envelope shall be indorsed with the name or names of the person or persons presenting the same, the date of its presentation, and a statement of the work to which it relates.

The Fire Department reserves the right to decline any and all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest. No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or

contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders of the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance in the sum of twelve thousand dollars (\$12,000); and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they will pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by law. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York before the award is made, and prior to the signing of the contract.

No estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the National Banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of six hundred dollars (\$600). Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimate, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk, and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited and retained by the City of New York, as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it and as in default to the Corporation, and the contract will be readvertised and relet as provided by law.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate, in addition to inserting the same in figures.

The form of the agreement and specifications, and showing the manner of payment for the work, may be seen and forms of proposals may be obtained at the office of the Department.

CORNELIUS VAN COTT,

HENRY D. PURROY,

RICHARD CROKER,

Commissioners.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,  
COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, NO. 31 CHAMBERS ST.,  
NEW YORK, November 19, 1883.

#### TO THE PUBLIC.

**AT 9-30 P. M. ON THURSDAY THE 15TH** instant, the aqueduct had to be shut off to repair a leak that it could not be repaired in the usual manner from the exterior. This leak had suddenly developed in the section south of Yonkers, where smaller fissures had previously occurred.

The examination showed fissures aggregating 2,000 feet in length. The repairs were finished and water was again turned on by 4 P. M., on Saturday, the 17th instant. While the flow through the aqueduct was interrupted the supply in the Central Park reservoir was drawn down five feet.

This loss of supply in the city reservoirs, occurring now, as winter is approaching, makes it necessary to take extra precautions against waste of water. Being aware of the temptation to leave faucets open in cold weather to prevent freezing in the pipes, I specially protest against that practice, and appeal to all citizens to abstain from wasteful use of water in any manner whatever. The present condition of the supply and the possibility of a recurrence of similar leaks in the aqueduct make it my duty to give this public notice that I shall hereinafter resort to the peremptory measure of shutting off the water in all places where persistent waste is discovered.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS,

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,

NO. 31 CHAMBERS STREET,

NEW YORK, NOV. 1, 1883.

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO** property-owners of the City of New York that, by the New York City Consolidated Act of 1882, among other matters relating to Croton water rates and affecting all properties liable for Croton water charges, is embraced the following, in "Title 2, Duties and Powers of the Department of Public Works as to Procuring and Distributing Water":

§ 350. The Commissioner of Public Works shall, from time to time, establish scales of rents. \* \* \* \* \*

Such rents shall be collected from the owners or occupants of all such buildings, respectively, which shall be situated upon lots adjoining any street or avenue in said city in which the distributing water-pipes are or may be laid, and from which they can be supplied with water, said rents shall become a charge and lien upon such houses and lots, respectively, as provided by law.

It becomes my duty to state that on and after the first day of April, 1884, all extra charges, such as steam-engines, bakeries, barbers, bathing-tubs, boarding-houses, boarding-schools, building purposes, horses, horse-troughs, hotels, porter-houses, taverns, etc., printing offices, stone cutting or dressing, slaughter-houses, dyeing, water-closets and urinals, laundries, restaurants, soda fountains, extra families, oyster and coffee saloons, water by meter measurement, meters and meter setting, and all other purposes for which the use of Croton water is chargeable according to law, are liens, and unless paid on or before the 30th day of April next must be returned to the Clerk of Arrears, with the amount due on each lot.

HUBERT O. THOMPSON,

Commissioner of Public Works.

#### DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE.

#### TO CONTRACTORS.

**PROPOSALS FOR GROCERIES, DRY GOODS, HARDWARE, LEATHER AND FINDINGS, AND CROCKERY.**

**SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES FOR FURNISHING**

GROCERIES.  
20,000 pounds Oolong Tea.  
20,000 fresh Eggs; all to be candled.  
2,000 pounds fine Maracaibo Coffee (roasted).  
50 boxes Candles.  
50 " Raisins.  
50 dozen Sea Foam.  
50 " Canned Tomatoes, 3 lbs.  
20 pounds prime Manila Indigo.  
5 half chests Young Hyon Tea.  
5 " fine Oolong Tea.  
250 barrels prime Russia Turnips.  
250 " Carrots.  
50 " Red Onions.  
25 gross Matches.

DRY GOODS  
200 pounds W. B. Linen Thread.  
200 " D. B. " "  
100 " Cotton Cord.  
25 dozen Fine Combs.  
25 " Plantation Combs.  
100 packs Pins.  
100 pieces Oiled Muslin.  
5 gross Thimbles, No. 5 and 6.  
200 Rubber Blankets.  
50 dozen No. 30 W. S. Cotton.  
50 " B. S. Cotton.  
1 gross Hat and Coat Hooks.

LEATHER AND FINDINGS.  
500 sides good damaged Sole Leather.  
500 " Waxed Kip Leather.  
500 " Upper Leather.  
500 pounds Offal Leather.  
10 dozen Shoe Ink.  
25 pounds Shoe Eyelets.  
100 bunches Leather Laces.  
50 gross Shoe Binding.  
500 pounds ¾ Shoe Nails.  
250 " "  
2 dozen Welt Trimmers.  
2 " Heel Shavers.

HARDWARE, ETC.  
5 bundles Wire, No. 10.  
5 " " No. 12.  
5 " " No. 14.  
2 " Annealed Wire, No. 19.  
6 dozen Padlocks.  
6 " Closet Locks.  
6 " Drawer Locks.  
6 " Rim Locks.  
250 pounds ash Cord.  
6 dozen 6" Paint Brushes.  
6 " Stove.  
10 " Dust.  
2 " Kalsomine.  
2 " Stencil.  
10 " Whitewash.  
1 " Varnish.  
3 coils Manila Rope, 2, 2½ and 3 in. (circ.).

CROCKERY  
100 Male Urinals.  
50 W. S. Basins.  
10 gross Bowls.  
5 " Cups.  
5 " Saucers.  
5 " Mugs.  
1 " Chambers.

—or any single article thereof, will be received at the office of the Department of Public Charities and Correction, in the City of New York, until 9:30 o'clock A. M., of Friday, February 1, 1884. The person or persons making any bid or estimate shall furnish the same in a sealed envelope, indorsed "Bid or Estimate for Groceries, Dry Goods, Hardware, Leather and Findings, and Crockery," and with his or her name or names, and the date of presentation, to the head of said Department, at the said office, on or before the day and hour above named, at which time and place the bids or estimates received will be publicly opened by the President of said Department and read.

The Board of Public Charities and Correction reserves the right to reject all bids or estimates if deemed to be for the public interest, as provided in SECTION 44, CHAPTER 410, LAWS OF 1882.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or a contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The award of the Contract will be made as soon as practicable after the opening of the bids.

Delivery will be required to be made from time to time, and in such quantities as may be directed by the said Commissioners.

Any bidder for this contract must be known to be engaged in and well prepared for the business, and must have satisfactory testimonials to that effect; and the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded will be required to give security for the performance of the contract by his or their bond, with two sufficient sureties, in the penal amount of fifty (50) per cent. of the estimated amount of the contract.

Each bid or estimate shall contain and state the name and place of residence of each of the persons making the same; the names of all persons interested with him or them therein; and if no other person be so interested, it shall distinctly state that fact; also that it is made without any connection with any other person making an estimate for the same purpose, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud; and that no member of the Common Council, Head of a Department, Chief of a Bureau, Deputy thereof or Clerk therein, or other officer of the Corporation, is directly or indirectly interested therein, or in the supplies or work to which it relates, or in any portion of the profits thereof. The bid or estimate must be verified by the oath, in writing, of the party or parties making the estimate, that the several matters stated therein are in all respects true. Where more than one person is interested, it is requisite that the verification be made and subscribed by all the parties interested.

Each bid or estimate shall be accompanied by the consent, in writing, of two householders or freeholders in the City of New York, with their respective places of business or residence, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to the person making the estimate, they will, on its being so awarded, become bound as his sureties for its faithful performance; and that if he shall omit or refuse to execute the same, they shall pay to the Corporation any difference between the sum to which he would be entitled on its completion and that which the Corporation may be obliged to pay to the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded at any subsequent letting; the amount in each case to be calculated upon the estimated amount of the work by which the bids are tested. The consent above mentioned shall be accompanied by the oath or affirmation, in writing, of each of the persons signing the same, that he is a householder or freeholder in the City of New York, and is worth the amount of the security required for the completion of this contract, over and above all his debts of every nature, and over and above his liabilities, as bail, surety, or otherwise; and that he has offered himself as a surety in good faith and with the intention to execute the bond required by section 12 of chapter 7 of the Revised Ordinances of the City of New York, if the contract shall be awarded to the person or persons for whom he consents to become surety. The adequacy and sufficiency of the security offered is to be approved by the Comptroller of the City of New York.



No bid or estimate will be considered unless accompanied by either a certified check upon one of the national banks of the City of New York, drawn to the order of the Comptroller, or money, to the amount of five per centum of the amount of the security required for the faithful performance of the contract. Such check or money must not be inclosed in the sealed envelope containing the estimates, but must be handed to the officer or clerk of the Department who has charge of the Estimate-box, and no estimate can be deposited in said box until such check or money has been examined by said officer or clerk and found to be correct. All such deposits, except that of the successful bidder, will be returned to the persons making the same within three days after the contract is awarded. If the successful bidder shall refuse or neglect, within five days after notice that the contract has been awarded to him, to execute the same, the amount of the deposit made by him shall be forfeited to and retained by the City of New York as liquidated damages for such neglect or refusal; but, if he shall execute the contract within the time aforesaid, the amount of his deposit will be returned to him.

Should the person or persons to whom the contract may be awarded neglect or refuse to accept the contract within five days after written notice that the same has been awarded to him, or his or their bid or proposal, or if he or they accept, but do not execute the contract and give the proper security, he or they shall be considered as having abandoned it, and as in default to the Corporation; and the contract will be re-advertised and relet as provided by law.

The quality of the articles, supplies, goods, wares, and merchandise must conform in every respect to the samples of the same respectively at the office of the said Department. Bidders are cautioned to examine the specifications for particulars of the articles, etc., required, before making their estimates.

Bidders will state the prices for each article, by which the bids will be tested.

Bidders will write out the amount of their estimate in addition to inserting the same in figures.

Payment will be made by a requisition on the Comptroller, issued on the completion of the contract or from time to time, as the Commissioners may determine.

Bidders are informed that no deviation from the specifications will be allowed, unless under the written instruction of the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction.

No bid or estimate will be accepted from, or contract awarded to, any person who is in arrears to the Corporation upon debt or contract, or who is a defaulter, as surety or otherwise, upon any obligation to the Corporation.

The form of the agreement, including specifications, and showing the manner of payment, can be obtained at the office of the Department.

Dated New York, January 21, 1884.

HENRY H. PORTER,

THOMAS S. BRENNAN,

JACOB HESS,

Commissioners of the Department of

Public Charities and Correction.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC CHARITIES AND CORRECTION,  
No. 66 THIRD AVENUE,  
NEW YORK, January 24, 1884.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ORDINANCE OF the Common Council, "In relation to the burial of strangers or unknown persons who may die in any of the public institutions of the City of New York," the Commissioners of Public Charities and Correction report as follows:

At Lunatic Asylum, Blackwell's Island—Theresa Zimmerman; aged 55 years; 5 feet 2½ inches high; gray eyes and hair.

At Homeopathic Hospital, Ward's Island—Ann Moore; aged 73 years; 5 feet 5 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, brown plaid wrapper, gray knit shawl, black chip hat, buttoned gaiters.

John Lewis; aged 34 years; 5 feet 8 inches high; brown eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, dark coat and vest, brown pants, gaiters.

Daniel McGillicuddy; aged 35 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; blue eyes, brown hair. Had on when admitted, brown overcoat, mixed pants, blue vest, blue jumper, brogan shoe, black hat.

Bridget Noonan; aged 35 years; 5 feet 2 inches high; gray eyes, black hair.

John Smith; aged 28 years; 5 feet 10 inches high; gray eyes; brown hair. Had on when admitted, dark overcoat and sack coat, brown pants, laced shoes, black cloth cap.

Mary Mahoney; aged 80 years; 4 feet 11 inches high; blue eyes; gray hair.

Anna Bubhaber; aged 58 years; 5 feet high; black eyes; gray hair.

Catharine Costello; aged 55 years; 5 feet 6 inches high; gray eyes and hair. Had on when admitted, black dress, light calico sacque, brown shawl, gaiters, black hat.

Nothing known of their friends or relatives.

By order.

G. F. BRITTON,

Secretary.

#### CORPORATION NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz:

No. 1. Paving Lexington avenue, from Seventy-ninth street to Seventy-third street.

No. 2. Paving One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue.

No. 3. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

The limit embraced by such assessments includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

No. 1. Both sides of Lexington avenue, from Seventy-fourth to Seventy-ninth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 2. Both sides of One Hundred and Seventh street, from First to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 3. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-sixth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 23d February ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,

JOHN W. JACOBUS,

JOHN MULLALLY,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, January 19, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors, for examination by all persons interested, viz:

No. 1. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 2. Regulating, grading, setting curb and flagging One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

No. 3. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fourth to Madison avenue.

No. 4. Flagging Ninth avenue, from Seventy-second to Seventy-third street.

No. 5. Basin on the southwest corner of One Hundred and Twenty-first street and Lexington avenue.

No. 6. Basins in Twenty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 7. Basins on the southeast and southwest corners of One Hundred and Forty-second, One Hundred and Forty-third and One Hundred and Forty-fourth streets and Eighth avenue.

No. 8. Flagging south side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Flagging Ninth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-first street.

No. 10. Regulating, grading, curbing and flagging, One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues.

No. 11. Paving Ninety-seventh street, with granite blocks, from First to Second avenue.

No. 12. Paving One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First avenue to Avenue A, with granite.

No. 13. Paving One Hundred and Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, with granite pavement.

No. 14. Paving Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, with granite pavement.

No. 15. Regulating, grading, setting curb, and flagging Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street.

No. 16. Regulating, grading, etc., Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 17. Fencing vacant lots, east side of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, north side of Eighty-ninth and south side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 18. Sewer in Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth avenue and summit west of Ninth avenue.

No. 19. Sewer in One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Sewer in Front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

No. 21. Sewers in One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Seventh avenues, and between summit west of Seventh and Eighth avenues.

The limit embraced by such assessments includes all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land situated on—

1. Both sides of One Hundred and Nineteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

2. Both sides of One Hundred and Eighteenth street, from Sixth to Seventh avenue.

3. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from Fourth to Madison avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 5. Block bounded by One Hundred and Twentieth and One Hundred and Twenty-first streets, Fourth and Lexington avenues.

No. 6. Both sides of Twenty-sixth street, between First avenue and East river.

No. 7. Blocks bounded by One Hundred and Forty-first and One Hundred and Forty-fifth streets, Seventh avenue and new avenue west of Eighth avenue.

No. 8. South side of One Hundred and Sixth street, from Lexington to Fourth avenue.

No. 9. Both sides of Ninth avenue, from Sixty-fourth to Seventy-first street.

No. 10. Both sides of One Hundred and Sixteenth street, between Eighth and Ninth avenues, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 11. Both sides of Ninety-seventh street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 12. Both sides of One Hundred and Eleventh street, from First avenue to Pleasant avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 13. Both sides of One Hundred and Ninth street, from First to Second avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 14. Both sides of Forty-third street, from Second to Third avenue, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting avenues.

No. 15. Both sides of Fourth avenue, from One Hundred and Thirty-third to One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, and to the extent of half the block at the intersecting streets.

No. 16. Both sides of Sixty-second street, from Tenth to Eleventh avenue.

No. 17. East side of Lexington avenue, between Eighty-ninth and Ninetieth streets, also north side of Eighty-ninth street and south side of Ninetieth street, between Lexington and Third avenues.

No. 18. Both sides of Seventy-seventh street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues.

No. 19. Both sides of One Hundred and Twenty-seventh street, between Eighth avenue and Avenue St. Nicholas.

No. 20. Sewer in Front street, between Jackson street and Gouverneur slip.

No. 21. Both sides of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth street, between Fifth and Eighth avenues.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing to the Board of Assessors, at their office, No. 11½ City Hall, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

The above-described lists will be transmitted, as provided by law, to the Board of Revision and Correction of Assessments for confirmation, on the 18th February ensuing.

JOHN R. LYDECKER,

JOHN W. JACOBUS,

JOHN MULLALLY,

HENRY A. GUMBLETON,

Board of Assessors.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF ASSESSORS,  
No. 11½ CITY HALL,  
NEW YORK, Jan. 15, 1884.

#### JURORS.

#### NOTICE

IN RELATION TO JURORS FOR STATE COURTS.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF JURORS,  
NEW COUNTY COURT-HOUSE,  
NEW YORK, June 1, 1883.

APPLICATIONS FOR EXEMPTIONS WILL BE heard here, from 10 to 3 o'clock, from all persons hitherto liable or recently serving who have become exempt, and all needed information will be given.

Those who have not answered as to their liability, or proved permanent exemption, will receive a "jury enrollment notice," requiring them to appear before me this year. Whether liable or not, such notices must be answered in person, if possible, and at this office only.

Under severe penalties. If exempt, the party must bring proof of exemption; if liable, he must also answer in person, giving full and correct name, residence, etc., etc. No attention paid to letters.

Persons "enrolled" as liable must serve when called or pay their fines. No mere excuse will be allowed or interference permitted. The fines if unpaid will be entered as judgments upon the property of the delinquents.

All good citizens will aid the course of justice, and secure reliable and respectable jurors, and equalize their duty by serving promptly when summoned, allowing their clerks or subordinates to serve, reporting to me any attempt at bribery or evasion, and suggesting names for enrollment. Persons between sixty and seventy years of age, summer absentees, persons temporarily ill, and United States and District Court jurors are not exempt.

Every man must attend to his own notice. It is a misdemeanor to give any jury paper to another to answer. It is also punishable by fine or imprisonment to give or receive any present or bribe, directly or indirectly, in relation to a jury service, or to withhold any paper or make any false statement, and every case will be fully prosecuted.

GEORGE CAULFIELD,

Commissioner of Jurors,

Room 17, New County Court-house.

#### SUPREME COURT.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fourth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges, and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at half-past ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, January 18, 1884.

PATRICK DALY,  
ISAAC T. BROWN,  
ROWLAND M. STOVER,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works, for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Forty-sixth street, between Avenue St. Nicholas and Tenth avenue, in the City of New York.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE BILL of the costs, charges and expenses incurred by reason of the proceedings in the above-entitled matter will be presented for taxation to one of the Justices of the Supreme Court, at the Chambers thereof in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon; and that the said bill of costs, charges and expenses has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, there to remain for and during the space of ten days.

Dated, New York, January 16, 1884.

GEORGE W. McLEAN,  
THOMAS DUNLAP,  
MANSFIELD COMPTON,  
Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

In the matter of the application of the Commissioners of the Department of Public Parks, for and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to acquiring title, wherever the same has not been heretofore acquired, to that part of One Hundred and Forty-seventh street (although not yet named by proper authority) extending from Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by said Department.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTES IN SUCH cases made and provided, notice is hereby given that an application will be made at the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term of said Court, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, in the City of New York, on Friday, the 8th day of February, 1884, at the opening of the Court on that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, for the appointment of Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter. The nature and extent of the improvements hereby intended is the acquisition of title, in the name and on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the use of the public, to all the lands and premises, with the buildings thereon and the appurtenances thereto belong to, required for the opening of a certain street or avenue, known as One Hundred and Forty-seventh street, extending from Willis avenue to Brook avenue, in the Twenty-third Ward of the City of New York, as the same has been heretofore laid out and designated as a first-class street or road by the Department of Public Parks, being the following-described lots, pieces or parcels of land, viz:

Beginning at a point the intersection of the southern line of East One Hundred and Forty-seventh street with the western line of Brook avenue on the western line of Brook avenue, distant 2,327.5 feet northerly from the northern line of East One Hundred and Forty-eighth street, measured along said western line of Brook avenue—

1. Thence northeasterly along said western line of Brook avenue for 60 feet.

2. Thence deflecting to the left 90° westerly for 387.700 feet.

3. Thence deflecting to the right 5° 25' 30" northeasterly for 457.300 feet.

4. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southwesterly for 60 feet.

5. Thence deflecting to the left 90° southeasterly for 460.800 feet.

6. Thence deflecting to the left 5° 25' 20" northeasterly for 390.800 feet to the point of beginning.

Dated New York, January 12, 1884.

GEORGE P. ANDREWS,

Counsel to the Corporation,

Fryer Row, New York.

In the matter of the application of the Department of Public Works for and in behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New York, relative to the opening of One Hundred and Fourth street, between the Boulevard and Riverside avenue, in the City of New York.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED COMMISSIONERS of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants, of all houses and lots and improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, and to all others whom it may concern, to wit:

First.—That we have completed our estimate and assessment, and that all persons interested in these proceedings, or in any of the lands affected thereby, and who may be opposed to the same, do present their objections in writing, duly verified, to us at our office, No. 73 William street (third floor), in the said city, on or before the 14th day of January, 1884, and that we, the said Commissioners, will hear parties so objecting within the ten week-days next after the said 14th day of January, 1884, and for that purpose will be in attendance at our said office on each of said ten days at 2½ o'clock P. M.

Second.—That the abstract of the said estimate and assessment, together with our maps, and also all the affidavits, estimates and other documents which were used by us in making our report, have been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works, in the City of New York, there to remain until the 16th day of January, 1884.

Third.—That the limits embraced by the assessment aforesaid, are as follows, to wit: All those lots, pieces or parcels of land, situate, lying and being in the City of New York, which taken together are bounded northerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Fifth streets, easterly by the westerly side of the Boulevard, southerly by the centre line of the blocks between One Hundred and Fourth and One Hundred and Third streets, and westerly by the easterly side of Riverside avenue, excepting therefrom all the land lying in the streets or avenues within said area.

Fourth.—That our report herein will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York, at a Special Term thereof, to be held at the Chambers thereof, in the County Court-house, at the City Hall, in the City of New York, on the first day of February, 1884, at the

opening of the Court on that day, and that then and there, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard thereon, a motion will be made that the said report be confirmed.

Dated New York, December 5, 1883.

ISAAC T. BROWN,

ROWLAND M. STOVER,

PATRICK DALY,

Commissioners.

ARTHUR BERRY, Clerk.

#### FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LANDS AND TENEMENTS FOR UNPAID ASSESSMENTS FOR OPENING, WIDENING, EXTENDING AND STRAIGHTENING ROADS, STREETS, AVENUES, PARKS AND PUBLIC PLACES.

CITY OF NEW YORK—FINANCE DEPARTMENT,  
BUREAU FOR THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS AND ARREARS OF TAXES AND ASSESSMENTS  
AND OF WATER RENTS,  
OFFICE OF THE COLLECTOR OF ASSESSMENTS  
AND CLERK OF ARREARS,  
January 24, 1884.

UNDER THE DIRECTION OF S. HASTINGS GRANT, Comptroller of the City of New York, the undersigned hereby gives Public Notice, pursuant to the provisions of Section 926 of the New York City Consolidation Act of 1882, that the respective owners of all the lands and tenements on which assessments have been laid and confirmed during the year 1879 and prior thereto, for opening, widening, extending, and straightening roads, streets, avenues, parks, and public places, upon which such assessments are now due and unpaid and have remained due and unpaid since the confirmation of said assessments, are required to pay the amount of the assessments so due and remaining unpaid to the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears, at his office in the Finance Department, in the New County Court-house, in the City of New York, together with the interest thereon, at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum, to the time of payment, with the charges of this notice and advertisement.

And if default shall be made in such payment, such lands and tenements will be sold at public auction, at the New County Court-house, in the City Hall Park in the City of New York, Monday, May 5, 1884, at 12 o'clock noon, for the longest term of years at which any person shall offer to take the same in consideration of advancing the amount of the assessment so due and unpaid, and the interest thereon as aforesaid to the time of the sale, together with the charges of this notice and advertisement, and all other costs and charges accrued thereon, and that such sale will be continued from time to time until all the lands and tenements advertised for sale shall be sold.

And notice is hereby further given that a detailed statement of the assessments, the ownership of the property assessed, and on which the assessments are due and unpaid, is published in a pamphlet, and that copies of the pamphlet are deposited in the office of the Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears in the Finance Department, and will be delivered to any person applying for the same.

A. S. CADY,  
Collector of Assessments and Clerk of Arrears.

#### INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.

THE INTEREST ON THE BONDS AND STOCKS of the City of New York, due February 1, 1884, will be paid on that day, by the Comptroller, at his office, in the New County Court-house.

The Transfer books will be closed from January 15, to February 1, 1884.

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
Comptroller.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT—COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
NEW YORK, January 9, 1884.

#### REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

THE ATTENTION OF LAWYERS, REAL Estate Owners, Monetary Institutions engaged in making loans upon real estate, and all who are interested in providing themselves with facilities for reducing the cost of examinations and searches, is invited to these Official Indices of Records, containing all recorded transfers of real estate in the City of New York from 1853 to 1883, prepared under the direction of the Commissioners of Records.

Grants, grantees, suits in equity, insolvents' and Sheriff's sales, in 61 volumes, full bound, price, \$100 00  
The same in 25 volumes, half bound, price, 50 00  
Complete sets, folded, ready for binding, price, 15 00  
Records of Judgments, 25 volumes, bound, price, 10 00  
Orders should be addressed to "Mr. Stephen Angell, Comptroller's Office, New County Court-house."

S. HASTINGS GRANT,  
Comptroller.

#### POLICE DEPARTMENT.

POLICE DEPARTMENT OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK,  
300 MULBERRY STREET,  
NEW YORK, January 28, 1884.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN iron safe, the property of this Department, will be sold at public auction, at the Station-house of the Twenty-second Precinct, Nos. 349 and 351 West Forty-seventh street, on Saturday, February 9, 1884, at ten o'clock A. M. (by Van Tassel & Kearney, Auctioneers).

By order of the Board.

S. C. HAWLEY,  
Chief Clerk.